

Equal Opportunity Program



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Did You Know?

Participation in extremist organizations and activities by Army personnel is inconsistent with the responsibilities of military service. It is the policy of the United States Army to provide equal opportunity and treatment for all Soldiers without regard to race, color, religion, gender, or national origin. Enforcement of this policy is a responsibility of command, is vitally important to unit cohesion and morale, and is essential to the Army's ability to accomplish its mission.

It is the commander's responsibility to maintain good order and discipline in the unit. Every commander has the inherent authority to take appropriate actions to accomplish this goal. This paragraph identifies prohibited actions by Soldiers involving extremist organizations, discusses the authority of the commander to establish other prohibitions, and establishes that violations of prohibitions contained in this paragraph or those established by a commander may result in prosecution under various provisions of the UCMJ. This paragraph must be used in conjunction with DODD 1325.6, Subject: Guidelines for Handling Dissident and Protest Activities Among Members of the Armed Forces. DA Pam 600-15 provides guidance in implementing Army policy on extremist activities and organizations.

a. Participation. Military personnel must reject participation in extremist organizations and activities. Extremist organizations and activities are ones that advocate racial, gender, or ethnic hatred or intolerance; advocate, create, or engage in illegal discrimination based on race, color, gender, religion, or national origin, or advocate the use of or use force or violence or unlawful means to deprive individuals of their rights under the United States Constitution or the laws of the United States, or any State, by unlawful means.

CO2 Word of the month

CO2 word for the month **SUPPORT**

- Give active help and encouragement - to give active help, encouragement.
- Be in favor of something - to be in favor of something such as a cause, policy, or organization, and wish to see it succeed.

Near term Observance information 2007

Asian/Pacific Heritage Month 1-31 MAY

Committee meetings are held at Building 315, RM 227. Contact 187 INF EOA SFC (P) Clayton for dates and times @ 6-1398

08 MAY - Story Time - Clarke Library - 1030-1100

09 MAY - Story Time - Clarke Library - 1230-1300

12 MAY - Asian Pacific Celebration - Nutterfield House - 1100-1430

23 MAY - How to Prepare a Resume - Thurman Hall Room 3339 - 1300-1430

30 MAY - Cooking Class - E. Specker Chapel - 1130-1300

POSH All training will be held each Wednesday PVT-SSG 0900-1000, SFC & Above 1000-1100hrs. **Located in Bldg 315, Room 227.**

Equal Opportunity Representative Course

Training for the **3rd quarter, FY 07** will be held **04 - 22 JUNE 2007**. Contact your Brigade S3 schools or your branch specific EO representative for more information.

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